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Applicant: Pretzsch, et al.  
Title: Incinerator Pre-fill Chamber

**CLIENT NUMBER:** 11590.002

**COMMENTS:** See attached Amendment and Response in the  
above-referenced matter.

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:	)	Art Unit: 3749
Pretzsch, et al.	)	
	)	Examiner: Rinehart
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Serial No.: 10/729,030	)	
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Title: Incinerator Pre-fill Chamber	)	

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Examiner Rinehart:

This letter is in follow-up to the telephone conference with Examiner on March 7, 2005, as well as the Advisory Action with mailing date of February 15, 2005, which Advisory Action was in response to Applicant's Amendment and Response received by the USPTO on or about February 11, 2005. The Final Action in this matter was dated as mailed on December 13, 2004. As such, this response is being filed within the statutory period for reply. As Applicant's Amendment and Response filed on or about February 11, 2005 was not entered of record by the Examiner, the following amendments to the claims are made to the application in the condition the application was in prior to the February 11, 2005 amendments. Applicant requests the Examiner to make the below-identified amendments and consider the following remarks:

**Amendments to the Specification: none.**

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted **via facsimile**, (703) 872-9306, addressed to: Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on March 8, 2005. The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is requested to grant this paper that date as its filing date

  
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Gary K. Price (#45,024)

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.